

CLOSING RATES.
Yesterday of cotton and gold:
New York, cotton, 13-1/4; Memphis, 12-1/4.
New York, gold, 115; Memphis, 114.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.
WASHINGTON, December 1, 1875.
For Tennessee and Ohio valley, upper lakes, upper Mississippi and lower Missouri valleys, falling barometer, southeast to northeast winds, warmer, partly cloudy and hazy weather, preceding the storm center.

TELEGRAPHIC CLIPPINGS.

The Prices of Wales has arrived at Columbus, Ohio.
The Ohio State dental society is in session at Columbus, Ohio.
The Missouri State board of agriculture met at St. Louis yesterday.
Pauline Virginia de Jant, the celebrated actress, died in Paris yesterday.
Princess Gitchikoff had an interview with Emperor William at Berlin yesterday.
The steamer Paul Sheridan was burned on Lake Erie yesterday. No lives lost.
Two light shocks of earthquake were felt at Kansas, New Hampshire, yesterday morning.
The homeopathic physicians of Tennessee organized a state society at Knoxville yesterday.
James Lindsey, a prominent citizen of Nashville, put a bullet in his brain at St. Louis yesterday.
The Sherman house, at Mason City, Illinois, was burned yesterday. Loss twelve thousand dollars.
A fast evening mail service between New York and St. Louis was inaugurated in New York yesterday.
A New York telegram announces the failure of the hair and fancy goods firm of Thompson & Co.
A large number of additional removals of the colored forces of the interior department were ordered yesterday.
A New Orleans telegram announces the suspension of the bank of America at that city.
A Chicago dispatch yesterday reported Senator Logan's condition somewhat improved, but that he is still in a critical condition.
The national grange installed officers in several places in the north and west yesterday.
Internal Revenue Collector D. H. Mann, of the southern district of Illinois, was arrested yesterday on charges of fraud in Chicago yesterday.
Intelligence from Spain states that the southern district of Illinois, was arrested yesterday on charges of fraud in Chicago yesterday.
Paul Mitchell, an engineer commissioned by the state to examine the Louisville and Nashville bridge, yesterday and will commence the investigation today.
John Mack, an engineer on the Ohio and Pennsylvania railroad, was yesterday arrested on charges of fraud in Chicago yesterday.
John Bennett, a well known murderer in Johnson's case in New York, two years ago, and acquitted on the ground of insanity, has been committed to the Ohio asylum.

A London dispatch says that the wife of John Bennett was found dead in a room at her husband's residence yesterday morning. A bottle of chloroform was found beside her.
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News was received yesterday in Washington of the death of John M. McKim, a prominent American citizen, who died at his residence in New York city.

The public debt statement shows a decrease of \$1,000,000 in the month of November, 1875, compared with the same month of the previous year.
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GENERAL COUNCIL.

Meeting last night—Reports of Officers for the month of November—The Bethel Judgments.
Credits of Fifteen per cent. to the Police and Firemen—No more scrip to be issued—Mayor's Veto.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Six members answered to their names yesterday evening at seven o'clock, at a regular meeting.
The reports of city officers were read and received. These reports will be found in full in the council proceedings.

The mayor read a joint session of the board and council, and the aldermen adjourned to the council chamber, where they heard the reading of the reports of the city officers, and returned to their hall.

Requisitions from the engineer, the hospital physician, and the chief of the fire department were allowed.

A committee was appointed to confer with the city engineer, Mr. Bell, regarding a compromise with the tax claim against his property in the ninth ward, for 1874.

The finance committee reported that they had given preference in the settlement of his claims against the city, out of which claim he proposed to give four thousand dollars to the poor of the city.

The judgment, like all others, is to be paid when the city has the money to pay. Report adopted.

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